

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

In re: CBL & ASSOCIATES PROPERTIES, INC., <i>et al.</i>, Debtors.¹	§ § § § § § §	Chapter 11 Case No. 20-35226 (DRJ) (Joint Administration Requested) (Emergency Hearing Requested)
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NOTICE OF DESIGNATION AS COMPLEX CHAPTER 11 CASES

Beginning on November 1, 2020, CBL & Associates Properties, Inc. and its debtor affiliates, as debtors and debtors in possession in the above-captioned chapter 11 cases (collectively, the “**Debtors**”) filed voluntary petitions for relief under chapter 11 of title 11 of the United States Code (the “**Chapter 11 Cases**”). The undersigned proposed counsel believes that these Chapter 11 Cases qualify as complex chapter 11 cases because:

- X The Debtors have total debt of more than \$10 million;
- X There are more than 50 parties in interest in these Chapter 11 Cases;
- X Claims against the Debtors are publicly traded;
- Other (Substantial explanation is required).

¹ A complete list of the Debtors in these chapter 11 cases may be obtained on the website of the Debtors’ proposed claims and noticing agent at <https://dm.epiq11.com/CBLProperties>. The Debtors’ service address for the purposes of these chapter 11 cases is 2030 Hamilton Place Blvd., Suite 500, Chattanooga, Tennessee 37421.

WHEREFORE, the Debtors respectfully request entry of an order substantially in the form annexed hereto as **Exhibit A** (the “**Proposed Order**”) granting the relief requested herein and such other and further relief as the Court may deem just and appropriate.

Dated: November 2, 2020
Houston, Texas

Respectfully submitted,

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that on November 2, 2020, a true and correct copy of the foregoing document was served by the Electronic Case Filing System for the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas, and will be served as set forth in the Affidavit of Service to be filed by the Debtors' proposed claims, noticing, and administrative agent.

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